

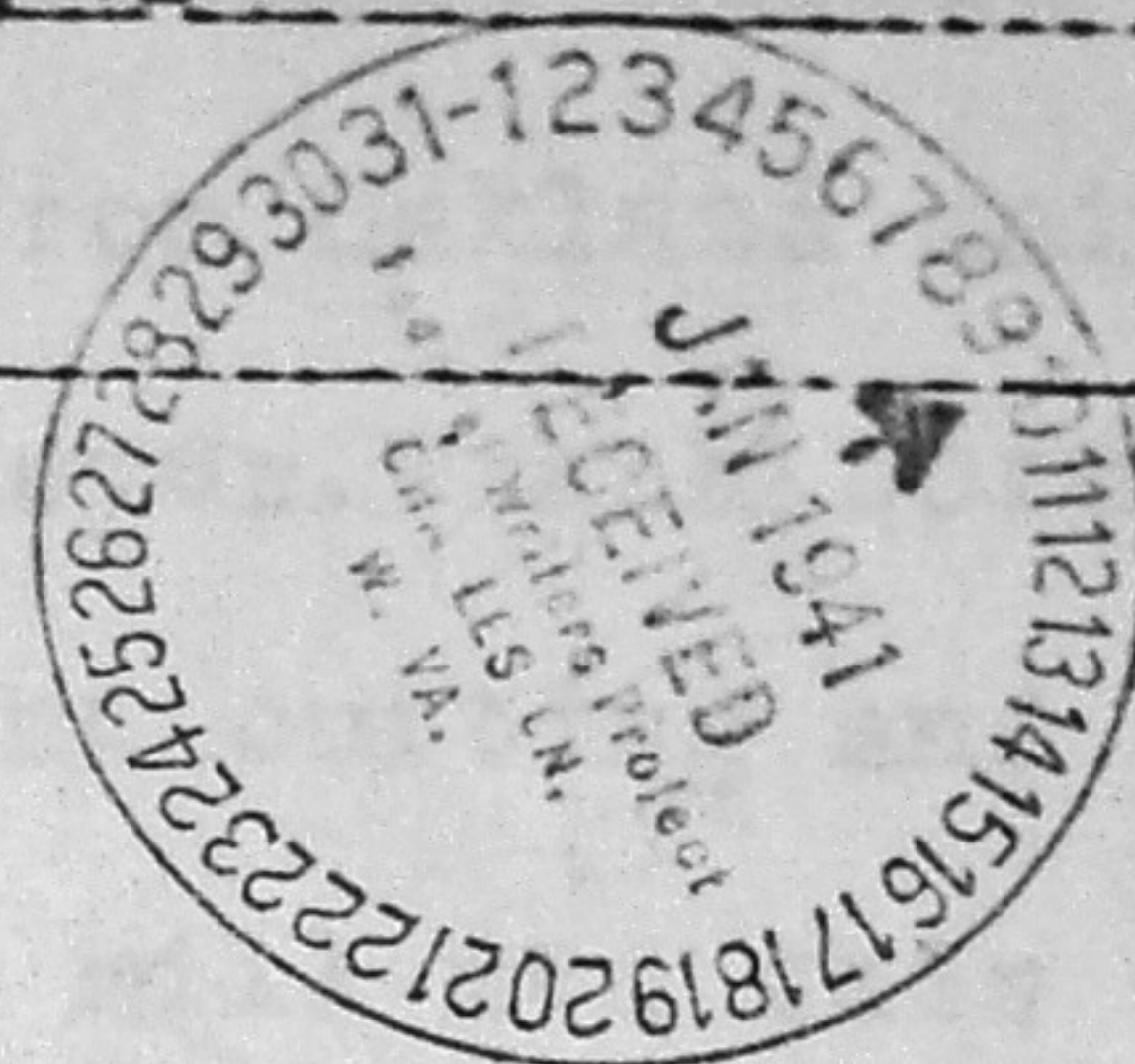
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- Lumber -

In 1915 Paul Golden of Marlinton went into the lumber business and his first operations were on Clover Creek near Cloverlick and on Browns Creek but this operation was on Spruce Flats near Buckeye, having bought a 90 acre boundary of timber from Bessie and W McClintic of Buckeye for \$1.000.00 this tract was formally the Marshall, McGraw land.

Golden employed Floyd Lee originally from Oakland Maryland who had a circular mill to do the sawing Lee was sawyer. Frank Jordan and Summers Galford of Woodrow on Laurel Creek did the cutting and skidding they had a camp. Lee had a camp and boarded the mill men this operation finished up in 15 and it was found they had cut 600.000 feet which was wagoned out to Buckeye and Marlinton for shipment where ever he could get an order for lumber. From here Golden went to operate near the Va. line on Allegheny Mountain.

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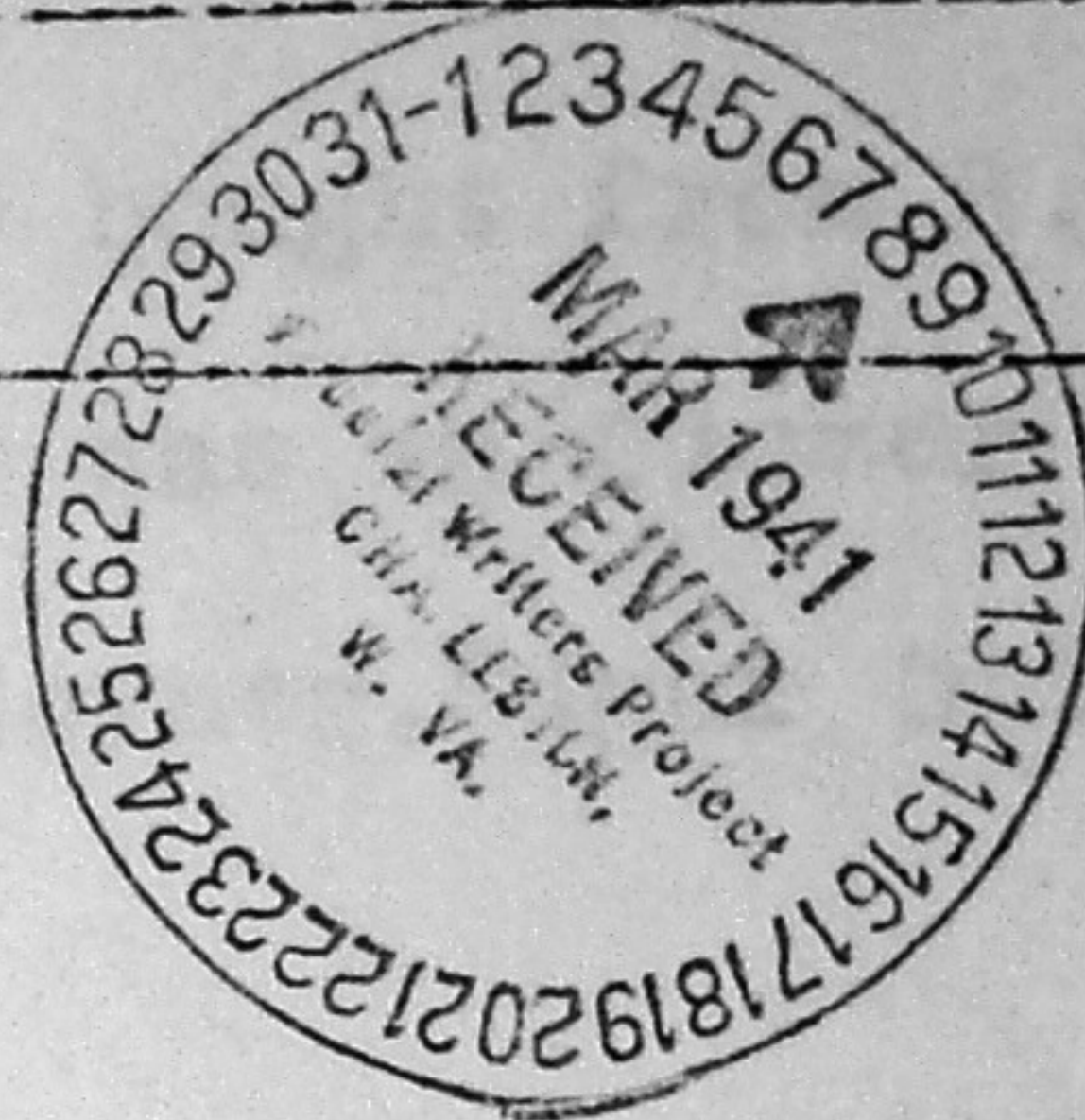
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In 1912 Paul Golden of Marlinton bought a tract of timber from S. Mc. Di-
key and Birdie O his wife located near Cloverlick and containing 81 acres.
Golden had a circular mill and did his own skidding.

Emory Anderson and Bert Roberts of Marlinton were sawyers and A. A. Ruc-
ker, Eustace Brindle and J. L. Jackson of Buckeye Cut the timber and when they
had finished up it was found they had sawed 600,000 which was wagoned to Cl-
overlick and shipped out over the C & O .

Golden also operated a tract of 319 acres that he bought from R. H &
Mintie Dudley who lived in August County Va. but the timber was on Clover Creek
and adjoining the lands of the following S. B. Hannah, J. J. Coyner, Edgar Dilley
and the Clover Creek Cattle Co.

This set cut out 900,000 and was skidded by Golden and sawed by Robe-
rts and Anderson but cut by Cameron and Kemp Meeks.

Golden also bought timber from the following the William P Hogsett
timber on Browns Creek. a tract from Thorney Creek Lumber Co. in Huntersville
District.

Upon completion of his timber holdings Golden sold his mill to James
Burgess .

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